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In re application of: Zelenski et al. Group Art Unit: 3723

Serial No.: 10/786,373 Examiner: Rachuba, Maurina T.

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Confirmation No. 3393

For: APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR ABRADING A WORK PIECE

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED**

**EXAMINATION (RCE) PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated February 13, 2006 and in view of the Amendment and Response After Final Office Action, filed March 29, 2006, and the Advisory Action of April 12, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.